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RE: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/647,544

MESSAGE:

Dear Examiner Haddad,

Further to our telephone conversation earlier today, attached please find copies of the Amendment/Reply Transmittal Letter and Amendment and Reply to Restriction Requirement filed in the U.S. PTO on October 10, 2002. A copy of the PTO-stamped postcard receipt evidencing that the filing was received by the U.S. PTO is also attached. A copy of our PTO Filings Log showing that the filing was logged in as number 13 at 11:25 a.m. is attached as well.

Should you require anything further, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:)
Evy Lundgren-Akerlund et al.) Group Art Unit: 1644
Application No.: 09/647,564) Examiner: Maher M. Haddad
Filed: October 26, 2000) Confirmation No.: 8350
For: AN INTEGRIN HETERODIMER)
AND A SUBUNIT THEREOF)

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This paper is timely filed in complete response to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Official Action mailed September 10, 2002 (Paper No. 12).

Please amend the specification as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

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Please cancel claims 22, 32, 47, 87, 100 and 109 without prejudice or disclaimer thereto.

Please replace claims 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15-18, 20, 23-25, 27-31, 33-35, 46, 48-50, 52, 54, 56-59, 73, 76, 78-80, 82, 84-86, 88-90, 99, 101-103, 107, 110-112 and 127-136 as indicated:

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2. (Twice Amended) A process of producing a recombinant integrin subunit $\alpha 10$ comprising essentially the amino acid sequence shown in SEQ ID No. 2 or SEQ ID No. 4 or homologues thereof or a fragment selected from the group

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